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In re application of: Howard Sands, et al.

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For **Injectable Pharmaceutical
Composition Comprising
Microdroplets of A Camptothecin**

Group No.: 1616

Examiner: Gollamudi, Sharmila S.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2003. Reconsideration of the above referenced application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendment to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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